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## REPORT

OF THE

### Selectmen of the town of Sutton,

For the Year ending February 11th, 1848.

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THE SELECTMEN debit themselves with the available funds belonging to the town for said year, as follows:

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| Assessment for the year 1847,                           | \$ 1849 65 |
| Taxes not collected February 11th, 1847,                | 1092 61    |
| Balance in town Treasury February 11th, 1847,           | 10 18      |
| School and Minister Funds paid into town Treasury,      | 261 17     |
| Literary Fund paid into town Treasury,                  | 38 83      |
| Cash received of County for support of Paupers,         | 255 00     |
| Balance on Militia Money,                               | 50         |
| Cash received of N. A. Davis error on account,          | 23 40      |
| Cash rec'd of the town of Newport for sup't of Paupers, | 9 00       |
| Cash received of Collector for the years 1836-7,        | 3 91       |
| Interest on Sch. and Min. Funds paid town Treasury,     | 88 19      |
| Note and Interest not belonging to Sch. and Min. Fund,  | 36 00      |
| Interest due on Sch. and Min. Funds Feb. 11th, 1848,    | 162 82     |
|                                                         | <hr/>      |
|                                                         | \$ 3831 26 |

*Accounted for as follows:*

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| Paid sundry persons by the Town Treasurer,                                             | \$ 2645 13 |
| Interest on Sch. and Min. Funds not coll'd Feb. 11, '48,                               | 162 82     |
| Note and Interest not belonging to Sch. and Min. Funds<br>not collected Feb. 11, 1848, | 36 00      |
| Taxes due from Collector Feb. 11, 1848,                                                | 919 31     |
| Balance in town Treasury Feb. 11, 1848,                                                | 68 00      |
|                                                                                        | <hr/>      |
|                                                                                        | \$ 3831 26 |

## Town Funds.

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| Amount of Minister Funds,           | \$ 965 98 |
| “ “ School Funds,                   | 653 83    |
| Cash in the hands of the Selectmen, | 239 35    |

## Disbursements,

*By the Town Treasurer from the 12th day of February, 1847, to the 11th day of February, 1848, inclusive.*

Paid J. HENRY ALLEN, Selectman, 1846—

|                                                           |      |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------|
| For 1 day at Poor farm, making out papers to obtain money |      |
| for support of County Paupers,                            | 1 00 |
| cutting through snow-drifts on stage road,                | 50   |
| postage,                                                  | 10   |
| 1 day making Inventory Book,                              | 1 00 |
| 8 “ taking invoice,                                       | 8 00 |
| warning school meetings in Dist. No. 2 and 7,             | 1 00 |
| 1 day on Pauper case,                                     | 1 00 |
| horse and waggon on same,                                 | 45   |
| 2 days regulating inventory,                              | 2 00 |
| 2 “ making taxes,                                         | 2 00 |
| 1 “ dividing school and minister money,                   | 1 00 |
| 1 “ limiting highway districts,                           | 1 00 |
| 1 “ making Surveyors' Warrants,                           | 1 00 |
| 1 “ “ “ “ and appointing                                  |      |
| Sup. School Committee,                                    | 1 00 |
| 1 “ distributing Surveyors' Warrants,                     | 1 00 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ “ on Pauper case,                           | 50   |
| recording limits of highway districts,                    | 2 00 |
| making examination into a supposed case of Small          |      |
| Pox, per order of Selectmen,                              | 1 00 |
| making warrants for town meeting,                         | 75   |
| “ Tax Book,                                               | 2 00 |
| “ Collector's Warrants, &c.,                              | 1 00 |
| “ returns to State and County Treasurer,                  | 50   |
| appointing Clerk and Committee in Dist. No. 6,            | 50   |
| 1 day appointing Collector and other business,            | 1 00 |
| making warrants for town meeting,                         | 75   |
| 1 day selling building of new road,                       | 1 00 |
| 4 “ copying names, taxes, &c., on the Selectmen's         |      |
| book,                                                     | 4 00 |
| 1 day laying out road on petition of Josiah P. Nelson     |      |
| and others, and other business,                           | 1 00 |
| making the return of the above road,                      | 50   |
| 1 day making school tax in dist. No. 7,                   | 1 00 |



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| For 1 day at Wendell, on the Roby case,                          | 1 00     |
| horse and carriage to Wendell,                                   | 1 00     |
| expenses self and horse,                                         | 38       |
| 1 day on Pauper case,                                            | 1 00     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " examining Steven's brook road,                   | 50       |
| recording Sch. tax and warrant on Selectmen's book,              | 1 00     |
| 1 day at Town Farm settling with N. A. Davis,                    | 1 00     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " accepting new road,                              | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " arranging sale of road for repairs,              | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " selling repairs on Steven's brook road,          | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " accepting jobs on new road,                      | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " " " stage road,                                  | 50       |
| 2 " on Eliza Clark's case,                                       | 2 00     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " laying out road on petition of Harrison Fellows, | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " regulating Jury Box,                             | 50       |
| journey to H. Burpee's on road case,                             | 50       |
| 1 day settling with Agent of Poor Farm,                          | 1 00     |
| 1 " " Auditors,                                                  | 1 00     |
| 5 " making Town Report,                                          | 5 00     |
| 1 " " check list and warrants for town meet-<br>ing, &c.,        | 1 00     |
| 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at Concord to get Town Reports printed,     | 1 50     |
| horse and sleigh to Concord,                                     | 1 82     |
| expenses self and horse at Concord,                              | 1 25     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day attending Jury meeting,                        | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " correcting check list,                           | 50       |
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|                                                                  | \$ 65 00 |

Paid HARRIS BURPEE, Selectman, 1846—

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| For 1 day at the Poor Farm, making Pauper papers,                                    | 1 00 |
| 1 " making Inventory Books,                                                          | 1 00 |
| 6 " taking invoice,                                                                  | 6 00 |
| 8 " making Taxes, Surveyors' Warrants, dividing<br>School and Minister money, &c.,   | 8 00 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " distributing Surveyors' Warrants,                                    | 50   |
| journey to J. H. Allen's,                                                            | 50   |
| posting warrants for town meeting,                                                   | 50   |
| 1 day making papers for Collector and Treasurer,                                     | 1 00 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " on road near Jona. Bohonan's,                                        | 50   |
| 1 " selling road, and other business,                                                | 1 00 |
| 1 " at J. H. Allen's, and laying out road on petition<br>of J. P. Nelson and others, | 1 00 |
| journey to examine road near Col. Gould's,                                           | 50   |
| examining road on petition of Levi Fowler,                                           | 75   |
| removing goods of J. Philbrick to Poor Farm,                                         | 50   |

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| For procuring bond for the support of John Parker,                   | 25       |
| journey to J. H. Allen's and exam. the North road,                   | 1 00     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day attending Jury meeting,                            | 50       |
| 1 " at Poor Farm,                                                    | 1 00     |
| part day accepting road near Jona. Bohonan's,                        | 50       |
| 1 day at J. H. Allen's, and notifying sale of repairs on North road, | 1 00     |
| part day selling repairs on North road,                              | 75       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day accepting road near Jona. Bohonan's,               | 50       |
| notifying the Selectmen of Bradford to perambulate town line,        | 50       |
| part day exam. and accept'g repairs on the North road,               | 75       |
| 1 day perambulating town line between Bradford and Sutton,           | 1 00     |
| laying out road on pet. of Harrison Fellows and others,              | 50       |
| part day on Pauper case,                                             | 50       |
| " " regulating Jury Box,                                             | 50       |
| time spent on Well's case,                                           | 50       |
| 1 day at Poor Farm settling with Agent,                              | 1 00     |
| 1 " settling with Auditors,                                          | 1 00     |
| 1 " making Report,                                                   | 1 00     |
| 1 " " ckeck list,                                                    | 1 00     |
| 1 " " warrant for town meeting,                                      | 1 00     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " attending Jury meeting,                              | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " correcting check list,                               | 50       |
| postage on letter,                                                   | 05       |
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|                                                                      | \$ 38 55 |

Paid SAMUEL DRESSER, Jr., Selectman, 1846—

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| For time spent in relation to an overseer of the Poor Farm,                                                                                | 25   |
| 1 day at the Poor Farm preparing papers to obtain money for support of County Paupers,                                                     | 1 00 |
| 1 day making Inventory Book,                                                                                                               | 1 00 |
| 6 " taking invoice,                                                                                                                        | 6 00 |
| making investigation and relief in case of M. Brown,                                                                                       | 1 00 |
| 3 days regulating invoice,                                                                                                                 | 3 00 |
| 5 " making taxes, proportioning the School and Minister money, limiting highway districts, making Surveyors' Warrants, and other business, | 5 00 |
| distributing Surveyors' Warrants,                                                                                                          | 42   |
| making warrant for Town Meeting,                                                                                                           | 50   |
| journey to J. H. Allen's on business,                                                                                                      | 25   |
| 1 day making Collector's Warrants, returns to State, County and Town Treasurers, taking bond of Collector, &c.,                            | 1 00 |



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| For $\frac{1}{2}$ day to warn town meeting, and notify sale of new road near Jona. Bohonan's,            | 50       |
| draughting articles of sale for road, and attending sale,                                                | 1 00     |
| Stationery,                                                                                              | 08       |
| 1 day attending to the records of the Selectmen, and laying out road on pet. of J. P. Nelson and others, | 1 00     |
| time spent in obtaining money for town,                                                                  | 34       |
| 1 day making school house tax and attending to order of notice on the petition of Levi Fowler,           | 1 00     |
| journey to J. H. Allen's to examine records,                                                             | 33       |
| attending Jury meeting,                                                                                  | 33       |
| journey to Abel Wheeler's to relieve County Pauper,                                                      | 33       |
| 1 day at Poor Farm on Pauper business,                                                                   | 1 00     |
| time giving notice to cont'rs for repair of stage road,                                                  | 25       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day contracting for the repair of stage road,                                              | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " examining the road near Jona. Bohonan's,                                                 | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " to examine repairs on stage road,                                                        | 50       |
| 1 " perambulating the line between Bradford and Sutton, and expenses,                                    | 1 25     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day laying out road on the petition of H. Fellows and others,                              | 50       |
| time spent on the application of Barnet Austin for the relief of his daughter,                           | 50       |
| making return of highway laid out on the petition of Harrison Fellows,                                   | 34       |
| making Jury list and other business,                                                                     | 50       |
| 1 day settling with Agent of Poor Farm,                                                                  | 1 00     |
| 1 " " " Auditors,                                                                                        | 1 00     |
| 1 " preparing Town Report,                                                                               | 1 00     |
| 1 " making check list,                                                                                   | 1 00     |
| 1 " " warrants for town meeting, &c.,                                                                    | 1 00     |
| 1 " preparing report of Selectmen for the press,                                                         | 1 00     |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " attending Jury meeting,                                                                  | 50       |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " correcting check list,                                                                   | 50       |
| making return of road petitioned for by Jacob Bean, Jr., and others,                                     | 25       |
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|                                                                                                          | \$ 37 42 |

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| Paid Ephraim Mastin balance of school money in Dist. No. 6, 1845, | 36 31 |
| Susan Putney, abatement of tax,                                   | 30    |
| Asa Nelson, school money in Dist. No. 4,                          | 50 19 |
| Simon Kezar, for work and plank,                                  | 1 46  |
| John Brockway, removing incumbrances from highway,                | 2 64  |
| John C. Dresser, school money in Dist. No. 9,                     | 59 61 |
| Isaac Fellows, building 25 rods new road,                         | 24 00 |

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| Paid Charles Hall, support of Eliza Clark,      | 14 00      |
| Alfred Richards, school money in Dist. No. 2,   | 75 73      |
| John Harvey, services as Sexton,                | 6 75       |
| Jer. Sanborn for 330 feet plank,                | 9 90       |
| do. work on bridge,                             | 2 00—11 90 |
| Joseph Peaslee, digging two graves,             | 1 44       |
| John G. Huntoon, building watercourse,          | 1 25       |
| do. 3 days work on road self cattle and cart,   | 5 25—6 50  |
| Stephen Hoyt, abatement of tax,                 | 2 78       |
| Otis R. Kendrick, school money in Dist. No. 10, | 37 99      |
| David Bohonan, school money in Dist. No. 12,    | 22 12      |

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| P'd Reuben Porter, 5 days examining records and defining limits of school Districts, | 5 00   |
| 2 days making plan of school Districts,                                              | 2 00   |
| 120 feet of plank for bridge,                                                        | 1 20   |
| repairing road, 1844,                                                                | 3 00   |
| 1 day settling with Selectmen,                                                       | 1 00   |
| repairing road, 1845,                                                                | 3 00   |
| “ “ 1846,                                                                            | 3 00   |
| Interest,                                                                            | 80     |
|                                                                                      | —19 00 |

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| P'd Jona. Davis, timber for bridge in Highway, Dist. No. 12, | 50        |
| cattle to break roads in said dist.                          | 1 00—1 50 |
| Paid Eben. Spaulding, repairing road,                        | 50        |
| Isaac Fowle, work on stage road, self & boy 1 day,           | 1 00      |
| J. H. Allen, vis. and med. for Mrs. Murrey,                  | 2 00      |
| Jona. G. Hunting, his pro. of sch'l money for 1846,          | 2 99      |
| Daniel Putney, 2 days work on railing,                       | 2 00      |
| do. piece of board for Guide-board,                          | 10—2 10   |
| John Pillsbury, breaking road in Dist. No. 9,                | 2 90      |
| Josiah P. Nelson, clothing furnished Cha's Downing,          | 5 00      |
| Isaac Littlehale, services as Sexton,                        | 9 00      |
| N. A. Davis, pro. of Universalist int'st money '46,          | 21 98     |

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| P'd Erastus Wadleigh, $\frac{1}{2}$ day to be qualified as Sup. School Committee, and giving notice for examination of Teachers of Summer schools, | 50   |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day examining Teachers,                                                                                                              | 50   |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ “ “ “ “ “ “                                                                                                                          | 50   |
| examining School in Dist. No. 4,                                                                                                                   | 50   |
| visiting “ “ “ “ “ 2,                                                                                                                              | 50   |
| examining Teacher in Dist. No. 5,                                                                                                                  | 25   |
| “ “ “ “ “ 6,                                                                                                                                       | 25   |
| furnishing Blanks for returns of Summer schools,                                                                                                   | 50   |
| visiting school in Dist's No. 5 and 7,                                                                                                             | 1 00 |
| “ “ “ “ “ 6,                                                                                                                                       | 50   |



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| visiting school in Dist. No. 2,                                                                                                        | 50          |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day notifying Teachers and other business,                                                                               | 50          |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " visiting school in Dist. No. 12,                                                                                       | 50          |
| " " " " " 3,                                                                                                                           | 50          |
| examining Teacher in Dist. No. 3,                                                                                                      | 50          |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day examining Teachers,                                                                                                  | 50          |
| visiting school in No. 6,                                                                                                              | 50          |
| " " " " 4,                                                                                                                             | 50          |
| " " " " 5 and 11,                                                                                                                      | 1 00        |
| examining Teacher,                                                                                                                     | 50          |
| " " in No. 6 and 7,                                                                                                                    | 75          |
| postage on Blanks and Circulars,                                                                                                       | 15          |
| visiting schools in No. 4 and 6,                                                                                                       | 1 00        |
| " " " " 1 and 9,                                                                                                                       | 1 00        |
| " " " " 6,                                                                                                                             | 50          |
| " " " " 4,                                                                                                                             | 50          |
| 3 days obtaining statistics of schools, preparing<br>Reports, &c.,                                                                     | 3 00        |
| postage on letters,                                                                                                                    | 10          |
| making returns to Secretary of State,                                                                                                  | 1 00        |
|                                                                                                                                        | <hr/> 18 50 |
| Paid Benja. Wells 2d, repairing watercourse on stage road,                                                                             | 75          |
| P'd J. Henry Allen, med'l services for Eliza Clark,                                                                                    | 4 50        |
| making clothing for child, " "                                                                                                         | 1 00        |
| medical attendance for Ednor Austin from July<br>12, '46, to January 22, 1847, inclusive,                                              | 13 75       |
| taking care of securities of town,                                                                                                     | 15 00       |
| cash paid Jos. Harvey for expenses of Select-<br>men and Auditors,                                                                     | 3 25        |
| cash paid E. B. Tripp for print'g town Rep'ts,                                                                                         | 16 65       |
| cash paid stage driver for freight on same,                                                                                            | 10          |
|                                                                                                                                        | <hr/> 54 25 |
| Paid Cha's Hall, boarding and nursing Eliza Clark<br>3 weeks and 2 days,                                                               | 5 07        |
| P'd Alfred Richards, 8 y'ds Sheetting,                                                                                                 | 76          |
| 2 y'ds Wool Flannel,                                                                                                                   | 67          |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Calico,                                                                                                               | 25          |
| 3 " Bleached Sheetting,                                                                                                                | 38          |
|                                                                                                                                        | <hr/> 2 06  |
| Paid John Hubbard, salary as Ag't of Poor Farm, 1846,                                                                                  | 219 32      |
| P'd John C. Dresser, $\frac{1}{2}$ day being qualified as Sup. Sch.<br>Committee and giving notice for the examination<br>of Teachers, | 50          |
| 1 day examining Teachers,                                                                                                              | 1 00        |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " " school in Dist. No. 10,                                                                                              | 50          |
| visiting school in Dist. No. 9 and 1,                                                                                                  | 75          |
| " " " " " 4,                                                                                                                           | 50          |

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| visiting school in Dist. No. 2,                                                                   | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 10,                                                                                     | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 13,                                                                                     | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 9,                                                                                      | 25          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 1,                                                                                      | 50          |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day examining Teachers,                                                             | 50          |
| visiting school in Dist. No. 1,                                                                   | 50          |
| examining Teacher,                                                                                | 25          |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day “ “                                                                             | 50          |
| “ “                                                                                               | 25          |
| “ “                                                                                               | 25          |
| visiting school in Dist. No. 10,                                                                  | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 9,                                                                                      | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 4,                                                                                      | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 13,                                                                                     | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 3,                                                                                      | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 1,                                                                                      | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 10,                                                                                     | 50          |
| “ “ “ “ “ 9,                                                                                      | 50          |
| 3 days making Report, &c.,                                                                        | 3 00        |
| copying Report and making return to the Sec-<br>retary of State,                                  | 1 00        |
| Stationery,                                                                                       | 50          |
|                                                                                                   | <hr/> 16 00 |
| Paid N. A. Davis, services on complaint and warrant,<br>Eliza Clark vs. J. Wyman,                 | 4 96        |
| Franklin Gray, Notes and int'st money borrowed, '46,                                              | 156 88      |
| Nancy Wadleigh, support of Mrs. Nancy Champlin,                                                   | 19 67       |
| Aaron Russell, pro. Freewill Baptist int. mon., '46,                                              | 17 89       |
| John Felch, school house money assessed, 1847,                                                    | 5 00        |
| P'd Jos. Harvey, Agent in case Morgan vs. Sutton,                                                 | 4 50        |
| cash paid Pierce and Minot for advice,                                                            | 5 00—9 50   |
| Paid Phinehas Whittier, abatement of taxes, 1846,                                                 | 2 88        |
| Stephen Hoyt, Collector, abatement of Ichabod E. Ha-<br>zen, Levi Fisk, and Ezekiel Davis' taxes, | 4 80        |
| Amos Kidder, pro. of Methodist int'st money, 1846,                                                | 4 02        |
| Samuel Dresser, jr., pro. of interest money first Baptist<br>Society, 1846,                       | 10 49       |
| John Brockway, pro. of int. mon. 2d Bap. Soc., '46,                                               | 5 62        |
| Gilman Gross, work on stage road,                                                                 | 1 00        |
| P'd Francis F. Blaisdell, (for Olive Peaslee,)                                                    |             |
| travel to Asa Page,                                                                               | 30          |
| “ “ A. P. Richards,                                                                               | 40          |
| horse and waggon,                                                                                 | 28          |
| procuring two q'ts N. E. Rum,                                                                     | 25          |
| 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. butter,                                                                      | 1 39        |
| 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ cords wood,                                                                       | 2 44        |



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| 1 bushel wheat,                                 | 1 50        |
| 6 lbs. cheese,                                  | 48          |
| travel to A. P. Richards,                       | 25          |
| horse and waggon,                               | 28          |
| bringing and returning watchers,                | 4 00        |
| making arrangements for funeral,                | 75          |
| horse and waggon,                               | 50          |
| cash paid F. P. Newell for services at funeral, | 1 00        |
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Paid Stephen Hoyt, Collector, abatement of Jona.

Palmer's tax, 1846, 1 46

P'd A. P. Richards, (Town Clerk,)

|                                                                         |      |
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| making records of proceedings of annual meet'g,                         | 2 50 |
| " " " Auditors' report,                                                 | 50   |
| " certificate of election of Representative,                            | 25   |
| " copy of recrd of votes for State and Co. officers and returning same, | 1 50 |
| " copy of votes for Represent'ves to Congress and returning same,       | 25   |
| " record of oaths and appointments of town officers,                    | 1 44 |
| " precept to notify town officers,                                      | 25   |
| examining records,                                                      | 25   |
| postage on precept from Sec'y of State,                                 | 05   |
| copying records for the town,                                           | 25   |
| recording 11 marriages,                                                 | 66   |
| copying records for the Selectmen,                                      | 25   |
| making record and appointment of town officers,                         | 24   |
| " " of appointment of Sup. Sch'l Com. and oath of the same,             | 25   |
| " " " proceeding of town meeting, May 23, 1846,                         | 75   |
| " " " appointment and oath of Col'r,                                    | 16   |
| " " " 2 marriages,                                                      | 12   |
| " " " town meeting, June, 1846,                                         | 50   |
| " " " abatement of taxes, 1845,                                         | 37   |
| " " " limits of highway districts,                                      | 1 25 |
| " " " taxes and invoice, 1846,                                          | 5 00 |
| " " " proceedings on road as pet'n'd for by Nelson and others,          | 50   |
| recording notice for Jury meeting, drawing Jurors, &c.,                 | 1 50 |
| making record of taxes in Dist. No. 7,                                  | 50   |
| cash paid for postage on venire,                                        | 10   |
| making record of perambulation of town line,                            | 25   |
| " " " ret'n of road pet'd for by Harrison Fellows and others,           | 75   |

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| postage on blanks for Teachers of schools,                          | 14          |
| postage on circulars for the sev'l sch'l Districts,                 | 26          |
| making record of 2 births and 1 death,                              | 09          |
| “ “ “ 2 marriages,                                                  | 12          |
| “ notice for Jury meeting, drawing Jurors,                          |             |
| &c.,                                                                | 1 50        |
| 1 book for Records,                                                 | 3 00        |
|                                                                     | <hr/> 25 50 |
| P'd Geo. S. Morgan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day break'g road in Dist. No. 13, | 40          |
| breaking road to New London line,                                   | 1 00        |
| removing a tree from the road,                                      | 50          |
| cutting through snow-drift,                                         | 34          |
| repairing watercourse and shovel'g out snowd'ft,                    | 1 00        |
| repairing bridge,                                                   | 1 00        |
| “ road,                                                             | 50          |
|                                                                     | <hr/> 4 74  |
| Paid Jesse O. P. Blake, 20 hours work cutting through               |             |
| snow-drifts near Wm. Thissell's,                                    | 2 00        |
| Rhoda Peaslee, boarding and nursing Mrs. Olive Peas-                |             |
| lee from the 14th day of March to the 14th day of                   |             |
| May, 1847,                                                          | 5 13        |
| Nath'l Armstrong, sch'l money in Dist. No. 1,                       | 25 00       |
| Jona. Bohonan, note and interest,                                   | 158 28      |
| Edward W. Dodge, 645 ft. Hemlock Plank,                             | 6 45        |
| P'd A. P. Richards & Co., three notes and interest                  |             |
| for building road,                                                  | 60 18       |
| order in favor of Moses H. Ring,                                    | 1 00        |
| flour delivered Hiram Bean,                                         | 2 15        |
| account of James Stevens,                                           | 1 08        |
|                                                                     | <hr/> 64 41 |
| Paid Thomas Cheney, for Guide-boards,                               | 2 50        |
| John Brockway, school money in Dist. No. 9,                         | 20 00       |
| J. H. Allen, “ “ “ “ “ 2,                                           | 30 00       |
| Isaac Jehonnett, boarding and nursing James M.                      |             |
| Coburn's wife 4 weeks,                                              | 5 00        |
| P'd Asa Page, insurance tax on Poor Farm buildings,                 | 2 97        |
| 1 quire of Surveyor's blanks,                                       | 50          |
| 3 Inventory books,                                                  | 60          |
| 1 Collector's book,                                                 | 17          |
| 2 quires paper,                                                     | 33          |
|                                                                     | <hr/> 4 57  |
| Paid James H. Bean, school money in Dist. No. 12,                   | 8 00        |
| Gideon D. Felch, “ “ “ “ “ 7,                                       | 16 00       |
| Hezekiah Blaisdell, extra trouble and attendance on                 |             |
| Mrs. Olive Peaslee from the 22d day of Ap'l to the                  |             |
| 16th day of May, 1847, and expense of funeral of                    |             |
| said Olive Peaslee,                                                 | 7 58        |



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| Paid Ira Fellows, school money in Dist. No. 5,                             | 7 00        |
| P'd Levi Flint, 2 days self and oxen breaking roads,                       | 2 50        |
| 4 " work on road,                                                          | 4 00        |
| " " "                                                                      | 75          |
|                                                                            | <hr/> 7 25  |
| Paid Harris Burpee, cash for Soldiers, muster day,                         | 54 00       |
| Nathan Champlin, abatement of tax, 1847,                                   | 25          |
| Elbridge McCollum, work on road,                                           | 67          |
| Abraham Peaslee, school money in Dist. No. 4,                              | 23 00       |
| Gilman Gross, 3 days work on bridge near E. Gould's,                       | 3 00        |
| P'd E. Page, services as town Treasurer, 1846,                             | 15 00       |
| preparing town Treasurer's acc't for printing,                             | 2 00        |
|                                                                            | <hr/> 17 00 |
| Paid Tappan Sanborn, road damages,                                         | 20 00       |
| James P. Wells, for conveying Sarah Wells to the<br>Asylum for the Insane, | 4 00        |
| Edward W. Dodge, road damages,                                             | 50          |
| Elliot Braley, school money in Dist. No. 8, 1847,                          | 14 60       |
| Timothy Eastman, stringers for br'ge near E. Gould's,                      | 22 00       |
| Edmund Chadwick, 1 day's work on road, self, oxen,<br>cart and plough,     | 2 00        |
| Cha's Hart, school money in Dist. No. 5, 1847,                             | 2 08        |
| Josiah P. Nelson, cloth'g furn'd Cha's E. Downing,                         | 10 00       |
| Ira fellows, school money in No. 5, 1847,                                  | 12 83       |
| Nathan Burpee, " " " 13, "                                                 | 11 82       |
| Joseph P. Nelson, for 286 ft. plank for bridge,                            | 4 29        |
| Nath'l Armstrong, school money in No. 1, '47,                              | 59 44       |
| Isaac Fowle, repairing bridges,                                            | 1 00        |
| Abijah Wheeler, school money, 1846-7,                                      | 3 85        |
| James Wells, school money in Dist. No. 3, '47,                             | 23 19       |
| Nath'l C. Knowlton, " " " " 11, "                                          | 15 52       |
| Tho's J. Chadwick, build'g r'd near Jacob Mastin's,                        | 18 00       |
| Chester Spaulding, coffin for Rufus Roby,                                  | 3 00        |
| John Roby, school money in No. 6, 1847,                                    | 49 82       |
| Jona. Watson, abatement of taxes ass'd, 1838,                              | 4 32        |
| Benj. W. P. Hart and Jesse Williams, soldiers, '44,                        | 2 00        |
| Benjamin Wells 3d, soldier, "                                              | 1 00        |
| Luther Dresser, " 1845,                                                    | 1 00        |
| John M. Palmer and 71 others, soldiers, 1846,                              | 36 00       |
| Aaron Russell, coffin for Olive Peaslee,                                   | 3 00        |
| State and County tax, 1847,                                                | 635 68      |
| Stephen Hoyt, am't of non-resident highway taxes,<br>paid in labor,        | 10 30       |
| Geo. C. Eaton, school money in No. 10, 1847,                               | 39 96       |
|                                                                            | <hr/>       |
| Whole amount,                                                              | \$ 2645 13  |

## Selectmen's Services,

*For the Year 1847.*

To HARRIS BURPEE,—

|                                                                        |      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| 1847. M'ch 13—To $\frac{1}{2}$ day at J. H. Allen's settling with him, | 50   |
| 17— $\frac{1}{2}$ day at A. P. Richards' to hire Ag't for p'r farm,    | 50   |
| Stationery and Postage,                                                | 14   |
| 18—1 day at the Poor Farm prep'ng pauper papers,                       | 1 00 |
| 20—1 day at the N. village on the Coburn case,                         | 1 00 |
| horse and sleigh to remove Mrs. Coburn,                                | 25   |
| 31—1 day at Asa Page's making Inventory books,                         | 1 00 |
| April 7—6 days taking inventory,                                       | 6 00 |
| 17—6 days making taxes, distributing Surveyors' war-                   |      |
| rants, proport'ng sch. and min. money,                                 | 6 00 |
| 19—journey to N. village and postage,                                  | 39   |
| 29—journey to D. Mastin's to cont'ct for rep's of r'd,                 | 75   |
| May 8—part day copying taxes,                                          | 75   |
| 18—part day copying taxes,                                             | 42   |
| 22— $\frac{1}{2}$ day copying taxes,                                   | 50   |
| 24—1 day making Collector book, &c.,                                   | 1 00 |
| 28—appointing clerk and prudential comm. in school                     |      |
| District No. 6,                                                        | 25   |
| June 4—journey to Poor Farm and postage,                               | 25   |
| July 13—procuring guide-boards, furnishing post, &c.,                  | 1 00 |
| 22—journey to Stephen Hoyt,                                            | 25   |
| 31—app'nt'g cl'k and pruden'l com'tee in Dist. No. 5,                  | 25   |
| Aug. 23— $\frac{1}{2}$ day examining route for road on petition of     |      |
| Nathan Burpee and others,                                              | 50   |
| Sept. 11—1 day laying out road on petition of Nathan Bur-              |      |
| pee and others,                                                        | 1 00 |
| 15—journey to S. village to examine bridge, and other                  |      |
| business,                                                              | 50   |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ day at poor house mak'g arrang'ts for rep'rs,            | 50   |
| 21—journey to E. Gould's to examine bridge,                            | 75   |
| 25— $\frac{1}{2}$ day at A. P. Richards, attending Juror meet-         |      |
| ing, and other business,                                               | 50   |
| 27—posting up warrants for town meeting,                               | 50   |
| 30—part day contracting for timber for bridge,                         | 75   |
| Oct. 4—1 day on timber for bridge,                                     | 1 00 |
| 7—1 day on bridge near E. Gould's,                                     | 1 00 |
| 11—time spent in procuring specie for and paying                       |      |
| soldiers,                                                              | 1 50 |
| 20—journey to Gore on pauper case,                                     | 75   |
| 23—1 day examining routes for road near J. Mastin's,                   | 1 00 |
| 29—1 day contracting for the support of Sarah Wells,                   | 1 00 |
| Nov. 2—1 day selling road near Jacob Mastin's,                         | 1 00 |



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| Nov. 3—part day selling road as pet'ned for by N. Burpee,                                       | 75       |
| 4—journey to Benj. Wadleigh to s've notice for r'd,                                             | 25       |
| 20—1 day examining routes for road on petition of<br>Benj. Wadleigh and others,                 | 1 00     |
| 26—1 day laying out road on petition of B. Wad-<br>leigh and others,                            | 1 00     |
| Dec. 4—1 day at A. P. Richards' regulating juror box<br>and assessing damage on land for roads, | 1 00     |
| 22—1 day on Moses Davis' case,                                                                  | 1 00     |
| Feb. 14—1 day at poor farm settling with agent,                                                 | 1 00     |
|                                                                                                 | <hr/>    |
|                                                                                                 | \$ 40 45 |

### To ASA PAGE—

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| 1847. M'ch 13—To part of a day to J. H. Allen's to get<br>the town Chest and settle with him as Select-<br>man for 1846, | 75       |
| 17—part day to the mill village to receive proposals<br>for agent on poor farm,                                          | 50       |
| 18—1 day at the poor farm and to the north to settle<br>with C. Hall for the support of E. J. Clark,                     | 1 00     |
| 19—journey to M. W. Tappan's to obtain counsel in<br>the case E. J. Clark vs. J. Wyman,                                  | 50       |
| 20—journey to the north on pauper case,                                                                                  | 50       |
| 22—making papers for the support of Co. paupers,                                                                         | 75       |
| 31—1 day regulating inventory books,                                                                                     | 1 00     |
| April 8—6 1-2 days taking invoice,                                                                                       | 6 50     |
| 16—5 days regulating inventory, making taxes, sur-<br>veyors' warrants, propor'ng school money, &c.,                     | 5 00     |
| 21—part day distributing surveyors' warrants,                                                                            | 75       |
| 22—part day to H. Blaisdell's on pauper case,<br>paid postage on letter,                                                 | 50<br>05 |
| May 22—making collector's book and copying inventory<br>and taxes,                                                       | 4 00     |
| 24—1 day appointing Collector and preparing papers,                                                                      | 1 00     |
| 29—part day to F. F. Blaisdell's to settle account for<br>supp't and funeral charges for wid. Peaslee,                   | 34       |
| Aug. 2—part day appointing school committee and clerk<br>in Dist. No. 5,                                                 | 50       |
| 21—part day taking affidavits to obtain the support of<br>E. J. Clark, of the county,                                    | 50       |
| 23—part day examining the route for road as peti-<br>tioned for by N. Burpee and others,                                 | 50       |
| Sept. 11—1 day laying out road as petitioned for by Na-<br>than Burpee and others,                                       | 1 00     |
| 14—1 day examining the bridge at the S. village and<br>the poor house, for the purpose of repairs,                       | 1 00     |

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| Sept. 20—contracting for plank for the bridge at S. vill.,                                                                                       | 50         |
| 25—attending juror meeting and making warrant for town meeting,                                                                                  | 50         |
| making return of road as laid out on petition of N. Burpee,                                                                                      | 50         |
| 30—part day procur'g str'gs for bridge near E. Gould's,                                                                                          | 50         |
| Oct. 7—journey to M. W. Tappan's to counsel in the case E. J. Clark vs. J. Wyman,                                                                | 50         |
| 11—making papers for county paupers and procuring money to pay the soldiers,                                                                     | 1 00       |
| 13—paying soldiers on muster day and other business, paid postage on letter,                                                                     | 1 00<br>05 |
| 23—examining routes for road near Jacob Mastin's,                                                                                                | 1 00       |
| 29—journey to the gore on pauper case,                                                                                                           | 1 00       |
| Nov. 2—sell the building of road near J. Mastin's,                                                                                               | 1 00       |
| 3—sell the building of a road as laid out on petition of N. Burpee, &c.,                                                                         | 1 00       |
| 20—1 day examining the ground for the alteration of the road from J. C. Little's to E. P. Davis' shingle mill,                                   | 1 00       |
| 26—1 day widening and straightening the road from J. C. Little's to E. P. Davis' mill,                                                           | 1 00       |
| Dec. 4—1 day regulating juror box and assessing damages by widening and straightening the road from J. C. Little's to E. P. Davis' shingle mill, | 1 00       |
| making return of road near J. C. Little's and filing it in the Town Clerk's office,                                                              | 50         |
| 11—a journey to James Bursiel, on pauper case,                                                                                                   | 50         |
| 22—journey to Charles Harts to attend to the case of Moses Davis and other business,                                                             | 1 00       |
| Feb. 12—paid postage on letter,                                                                                                                  | 05         |
| 14—1 day at the poor farm,                                                                                                                       | 1 00       |
|                                                                                                                                                  | <hr/>      |
|                                                                                                                                                  | \$ 41 24   |

#### To NATH'L W. KNOWLTON—

|                                                                                                                         |      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| 1847. M'ch 18—To 1½ days settling with superintendent of poor farm, examining house for repairs, appointing agent, &c., | 1 50 |
| 31—1 day preparing inventory books,                                                                                     | 1 00 |
| April 5—5 days taking inventory,                                                                                        | 5 00 |
| 16—5 days making taxes, proportioning school money and distributing surveyors' warrants,                                | 5 00 |
| Sept. 11—1 day examining a route for a new road as petitioned for by Nathan Burpee and others,                          | 1 00 |
| 14—1 day at poor farm,                                                                                                  | 1 00 |
| Oct. 23—1 day examining roads,                                                                                          | 1 00 |



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| Nov. 2—1 day examining and settling for roads,                                                                 | 1 00     |
| 20—1 day examining road as to widening and strait-<br>ening as petitioned for by Benj. Wadleigh and<br>others, | 1 00     |
| Dec. 4—1 day laying out road, regulating juror box,                                                            | 1 00     |
|                                                                                                                | <hr/>    |
|                                                                                                                | \$ 18 50 |

FEB. 11, 1848.—Having examined the foregoing accounts of the Town Treasurer and Selectmen, find they are well vouched and correctly cast.

JOSEPH HARVEY,  
NATH'L ARMSTRONG, } Auditors.  
JOHNSON COLBY.

#### TO RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES—

|                                 |                             |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| To Universalist Soc'y, \$ 27 06 | To 2d Baptist Society, 3 68 |
| F. W. Baptist Soc. 15 85        | Methodist Society, 2 81     |
| 1st Baptist Society, 7 58       | Second Advent Soc. 3 02     |
|                                 | <hr/>                       |
|                                 | \$ 60 00                    |

#### TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS—

|                          |                       |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| To Dist. No. 1, \$ 84 44 | To Dist. No. 9, 79 27 |
| Dist. No. 2, 92 38       | Dist. No. 10, 39 96   |
| Dist. No. 3, 23 19       | Dist. No. 11, 15 52   |
| Dist. No. 4, 77 04       | Dist. No. 12, 23 46   |
| Dist. No. 5, 21 91       | Dist. No. 13, 11 82   |
| Dist. No. 6, 49 82       | E. Gould, 3 43        |
| Dist. No. 7, 43 09       | A. Wheeler, 1 96      |
| Dist. No. 8, 14 60       | Jona. Hunting, 3 23   |

Printing.—Paid Claremont Manuf'g Co. for printing 400  
copies of this Report, 12 50

### Liabilities of the Town.

|                                       |           |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Damages for roads now under contract, | \$ 258 00 |
| Due school districts,                 | 228 17    |
| soldiers,                             | 50 00     |
| Agent pauper farm,                    | 171 57    |
| Collector,                            | 130 00    |
| Selectmen,                            | 100 69    |
| Town Treasurer and Clerk,             | 40 00     |
| for doctor's bills,                   | 42 00     |
| school committee,                     | 35 00     |

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| Due the several religious societies, | 60 00 |
| sextons and sundry other bills,      | 55 00 |

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\$ 1170 43

*To meet the above debts the town has available funds to the following amount:—*

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|----------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Balance in Treasurer and Collector's hands,  | \$ 987 31 |
| Town notes not sch. or min. funds,           | 36 00     |
| Interest accruing from sch. and min. fund,   | 162 82    |
| Amount estimated to be received from county, | 140 00    |

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| Leaving a balance in favor of the town, the sum of | 155 70 |
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## Pauper Farm.

*Selectmen's Report of the Pauper Establishment, and Inventory of Personal Property on the Pauper Farm, as estimated by the Selectmen, Feb. 10, 1848.*

|                                                                    |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| 2 oxen, 95 ; 4 cows, 88 ; 36 sh'p & lambs, 70 ; 2 shoats, 24,      | 277 00    |
| 13 tons hay, 110 ; 32 bu. wheat, 48 ; 66 bu. corn, 61 ; 2½         |           |
| bu. barley, 2 ; 1 bu. Rye, 1 ; 2½ bu. oats, 1 25 ;                 | 223 25    |
| 7½ bu. beans, 10 ; 2 bu. peas, 2 75 ; 25 bu. potatoes, 12,         |           |
| 3 bu. onions, 2 25 ; 40 lbs. dried apple, 2 40,                    | 29 40     |
| 500 lbs. pork, 55 ; 400 lbs. beef, 18 ; 100 lbs. ham, 9 ; 75       |           |
| lbs. cheese, 7 50 ; 60 lbs. butter, 10 ; 83½ lbs. lard, 10 44,     | 109 94    |
| 2 lbs. coffee, 20 ; 2½ lbs. tea, 1 71 ; 4 lbs. tobacco, 40 ; 3½    |           |
| bbls. cider, 5 25,                                                 | 7 56      |
| ⅔ bbl. vinegar, 3 33 ; 8 gall's boiled cider, 2 40 ; 2 gall's      |           |
| melasses, 70 ; 16½ lbs. codfish, 68 ; ½ bu. salt, 28 ; 1 bag       |           |
| salt, 28 ; 103 tal. and candles, 11 33,                            | 19 00     |
| 4 bbl's. soap, 13 ; 8½ lbs. sole-leather, 1 60 ; 3¼ calf-skins, 6, | 20 60     |
| 140 baskets, 28 ; 6 y'd f'ld cloth, 4 50 ; 36 y'd sheet'g, 3 63,   | 36 13     |
| 3 y'ds cot'n and wool cloth, 1 00 ; 7 y'ds waled cl. 3 50,         | 4 50      |
| 2 lbs. cotton y'n, 56 ; 10 lbs. rolls, 3 69 ; 8 y'ds calico, 1,    | 5 25      |
|                                                                    | <hr/>     |
|                                                                    | \$ 732 63 |

*The following is the amount of cash and the avails of articles sold by the Agent on the Poor Farm, for the year 1847.*

|                                                          |      |
|----------------------------------------------------------|------|
| Sold Josiah P. Nelson, as per bill No. 7, 3 baskets,     | 75   |
| Moody Johnson, as per bill No. 10, 4 baskets,            | 1 00 |
| Baxter & Blanchard, as per bill No. 13, 15 p'r feetings, | 3 25 |
| Wadleigh & Jones, as per bill No. 14, 1 b'l soap,        | 3 50 |
| Asa Page, for labor of Agent, hands and oxen sundry      |      |
| times, 8 59 ; 10½ lbs veal, 42 ; 5¼ lbs lamb, 23, bill   |      |
| No. 16,                                                  | 9 24 |



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|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Sold Robert Wright, 55 ft pine boards, as per bill No. 18,             | 82    |
| John Pillsbury, 40 lbs old iron, bill No. 19,                          | 40    |
| Dimen Davis, cheese, as per bill No. 20,                               | 1 00  |
| Pressey & Harvey, bill No. 22, 25 p'r feetings, 5 73 ;                 |       |
| 2 $1\frac{4}{8}$ cords bark, 6 35 ; 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs old iron, 18, | 12 26 |
| Stephen Hoyt 2d, as per bill No. 23, 1 bu. wheat,                      | 1 67  |
| Chester Spaulding, bill No. 24, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. onions, 1 ; 3      |       |
| days work Agent and team, 4 83,                                        | 5 83  |
| Joshua Rogers, bill No. 25, 1 bu. wheat, 1 50 ; 1 bu.                  |       |
| corn, 1,                                                               | 2 50  |
| Nathan'l Armstrong, as per bill No. 26, 1 day Agent,                   |       |
| cradling, 1 ; 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs beef, 36,                            | 1 36  |
| Seth Russell, jr. Agent cradling, as per bill No. 28,                  | 25    |
| Stephen Hoyt, as per bill No. 29, Agent and team,                      |       |
| 1 50 ; 2 bu. wheat, 3 00,                                              | 4 50  |
| George H. Hubbard, as per bill No. 30, board of G. H.                  |       |
| Hubbard's child 5 weeks,                                               | 3 75  |
| G. A. Pillsbury, bill No. 31, 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs veal, 2 78 ; 110    |       |
| eggs, 1 10 ; 182 p'rs feetings, 44 65,                                 | 48 53 |
| John Hubbard, Agent, as per bill No. 33, 1 gun, 3 00 ;                 |       |
| 10 weeks board John Kimball, 7 50, as per bill,                        | 10 50 |
| Levi Fowler, for baskets,                                              | 1 00  |
| Rec'd by cash, Isaac Peaslee for 13 lbs butter,                        | 2 17  |
| Dudley Kendrick, work,                                                 | 1 33  |
| Isaac Peaslee, 23 lbs butter,                                          | 3 57  |
| Harris Burpee, cheese basket,                                          | 25    |
| William Sawyer, beef cow,                                              | 30 00 |
| Dimen Davis, for cheese,                                               | 1 07  |
| John Russell, cheese basket,                                           | 25    |
| James Wright, runnet bag,                                              | 25    |
| John Pressey, Agent 3 days haying,                                     | 3 00  |
| William Murdough, 21 lambs,                                            | 32 00 |
| John Nelson, pasturing steers 7 weeks,                                 | 1 75  |
| Thomas J. Chadwick, 4 baskets,                                         | 87    |
| James Russell, 2 baskets,                                              | 50    |
| Thomas J. Wadleigh, building 19 $\frac{3}{4}$ rods wall,               | 14 82 |
| Zadoc Wright, 20 lbs tallow,                                           | 2 00  |
| Jonathan Watson, 1 pelt,                                               | 50    |
| Asa Page, 31 lbs. poultry,                                             | 2 50  |
| John Pressey, 146 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs hide,                              | 7 33  |
| John Peaslee, 1 two-years-old steer,                                   | 31 00 |
| Nathaniel Cheney, $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. beans,                             | 58    |
| John Russell, Agent butchering,                                        | 25    |
| John Hubbard,                                                          | 6 00  |

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*The following are the Bills contracted and paid for by the Agent on the Poor Farm for the year 1847.*

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| No. 1.—To Moody Johnson, balance between oxen,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | \$ 5 50 |
| No. 2.—To Asa Page, for 2 pigs,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 4 00    |
| No. 3.—To John Wright, shearing sheep 1 day,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 75      |
| No. 4.—To t'n of Wilton, sup't of Mary A. Richardson,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 2 50    |
| No. 5.—To Samuel Farson, horse and waggon to Wilton,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 2 40    |
| No. 6.—To James Hazen, thresh'g 28 bu. wheat, 13 oats,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 2 76    |
| No. 7.—To Josiah P. Nelson, use of B—l for 3 Cows,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 75      |
| No. 8.—To Jona. J. Blaisdell, one beef cow,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 20 00   |
| No. 9.—To G. B. Gay, dressing 2 calf skins,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 1 00    |
| No. 10.—To Moody Johnson, use of mill and horse to make 8 bbls. cider,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 96      |
| No. 11.—To Perley Andrew, sawing 3 M shingles,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 3 00    |
| No. 12.—To William Thissell, 2 bush. Rye,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 2 00    |
| No. 13.—To Baxter & Blanchard, 5 lbs. cotton yarn, 1,40;<br>1 lb. Y. H. Tea, ,62; $1\frac{1}{16}$ lb. Y. H. Tea, ,53; 2 lbs. salæratuſ, ,20; 5 lbs. sugar, ,50,                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 3 25    |
| No. 14.—To Wadleigh & Jones, carding 102 lbs. rolls, 5,10; coloring 13 y'ds, wine, 1,04,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 6 14    |
| No. 15.—To Aaron Russell, coffin for Mrs. Philbrick,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 3 00    |
| No. 16.—To Asa Page, 11 days work, 8,75; 9 journeys, horse and waggon, &c., 2,34; 1 stone drag, 1,00; 328 ft. boards, 1,80,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 13 89   |
| No. 17.—To Daniel Sargent, shoeing oxen, 1,34; set hinges, ,40; clasp and 2 staples, ,10,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 1 84    |
| No. 18.—To Robert Wright, 6 days work framing and finish corn barn, 6,00; mending tin ware, ,25,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 6 25    |
| No. 19.—To John Pillsbury, 2 plough points,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 76      |
| No. 20.—To Dimen Davis, vis. med.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 1 00    |
| No. 21.—To A. P. Richards & Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ bush. salt, ,38; 8 lbs. N. clover seed, 1,12; 1 bush. salt, ,67; 23 lbs. C. fish, 1,05; 1 hoe, ,42; 1 hay fork, ,42; 2 scythes, 1,92; 3 rakes, ,44; $\frac{1}{4}$ gross matches, ,16; 1 scythe-snath, ,42; 2 rifles, ,10; 6 pipes, ,04,                                                                               | 7 14    |
| No. 22.—To Pressey & Harvey, 42 lbs. nails, 2,10; 1 bush. H. G. seed, 3,00; 35 lbs. tobacco, 2,66; 4 bush. salt, 2,81; 1 scythe stone, ,04; 3 gall's melasses, ,69; 1 lb. rosin, ,04; 1 pad lock, ,15; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. starch, ,06; 1 doz. pipes, ,06; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. salt petre, ,03; 1 card, ,10; 2 hair combs, ,10; 6 lights glass, ,21; 10 lbs. sugar, ,90, | 12 95   |
| No. 23.—To Stephen Hoyt 2d, shoeing oxen, 1,00; mending 2 chains, ,08; 2 bands for sled, ,16,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 1 24    |
| No. 24.—To Chester Spaulding, 1 day's work, 1,17; window sash, ,25; 1 sled, 4,00; putty, ,20; 1 coffin for Ezra Marsh, 2,75,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 8 37    |



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| No. 25.—To Joshua Rogers, making 3 pair shoes, 1,69;<br>making 1 p'r shoes and upper leather, 1,17; one pair<br>sh's, 1,42; mak'g 1 p'r b'ts, 1,00; mend'g sh's, ,73,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 6 01  |
| No. 26.—To Nath'l Armstrong, 2 journeys horse and wag-<br>gon to Bradford, ,48; 2 do. to Warner, 1,12; 5 do. to<br>mill village, 1,20; 2 do. to south village, ,24; waggon<br>to mill village twice, ,18; horse to Bradford, ,12,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 3 34  |
| No. 27.—To Pressey & Andrew, tanning calf skin,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 67    |
| No. 28.—To Seth Russell, jr., 4 journeys horse and wag-<br>gon to Bradford, 1,00; 4 do. to mill village, ,90; horse<br>to plough, ,25,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 2 15  |
| No. 29.—To Stephen Hoyt 2d, mending manure fork, ,08;<br>mending staple, ,34; mending shovel, ,14; sharp'ning<br>iron bars, ,30; bolts for yoke, ,40; shoeing oxen, 2,04,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 3 30  |
| No. 30.—To George H. Hubbard, advice and med. C. E.<br>Clark, 1,00; do. E. J. Clark's child, 1,00; do. J. Ad-<br>ams, ,50; do. J. Philbrick, ,50; do. P. Como, ,10;<br>and med. ,25,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 3 35  |
| No. 31.—To G. A. Pillsbury, 9½ gall's melasses, 3,06; 12<br>lbs. tea, 5,94; 94 lbs. fish, 4,12; 50¼ y'ds calico, 5,95;<br>10 lbs. salæratu's, ,82; 15 lbs. yarn, 4,20; 1 lb. indigo,<br>1,75; 87½ y'ds sheeting and shirting, &c., 8,13; 21½<br>lbs. sugar, 2,00; 2 lbs. coffee, ,20; 2½ lbs. pepper and<br>spice, ,38; 4 lbs. tobacco, ,40; ¼ lb. camphor, ,10;<br>2 lbs. ginger, ,24; fine salt, 1,11; 3 combs, ,18; 1 pa-<br>per pins, ,08; ½ lb. alum, ,05; ½ lb. vitriol, ,08; 5 lbs.<br>log and red wood, ,26; ¼ lb. sal. nitre, ,04; 1 cham-<br>ber, ,25; 1 pail, ,25; 23 lbs. nails, 1,26; ½ quire paper,<br>,10; 1 pitcher, ,10; 1 lb. wicking, ,30; 12 y'ds flan-<br>nel, 1,68; batten, ,10; 1 cheese tub, 1,13; ½ bbl.<br>mackerel, 4,25, | 48 53 |
| No. 32.—To John Hubbard, Agent, sundries, 1 trunk lock<br>for P. Como, ,13; hooping tub, ,17; med. P. Como,<br>,12; Baxter & Blanchard, ,08; John Wright, work,<br>,30; Rev. Mr. Cummins for attending funerals, 4,00;<br>med. for Mr. Champlin, ,18,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 4 98  |
| No. 33.—To John Hubbard, Agent, work of C. Hubbard,<br>14 00; use of grain cradle, ,25; leather, 1,04; 1 pair<br>boots, ,75; 1 set fire dogs, 2,00; use of chains 2 y'rs,<br>,50,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 18 54 |
| Expenses to Wilton not billed,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 1 50  |
| Levi Fowler, 1 bush. corn,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 1 00  |

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## Recapitulation.

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| Provisions, stock, &c. as estim'd Feb. 11, 1847,                                                                                                                                | \$ 670 50 |          |
| Interest on real estate and personal property,                                                                                                                                  | 150 00    |          |
| Agent's compensation,                                                                                                                                                           | 220 00    |          |
| Articles furnished pauper family, including doctor's bills,                                                                                                                     | 204 82    | —1245 32 |
| Stock, provisions, &c. as estim'd Feb. 11, 1848,                                                                                                                                | 732 63    |          |
| Amount received by Agent on sales of produce, stock, &c.                                                                                                                        | 254 10    |          |
| Amount estimated to be received of county for support of paupers on the farm, March T.                                                                                          | 140 00    |          |
| Amount received of county for support of Charlotte Green, in the Treasurer's hands,                                                                                             | 15 00     |          |
| Balance received of county for support of E. J. Clark, in the hands of Treasurer,                                                                                               | 16 33     | —1158 06 |
| Balance against the establishment, Feb. 11, 1848,                                                                                                                               | 87 26     |          |
| The estimate made last year to be received of the county has been more than realized by the sum of 20 00, which sum taken from 87 26 leaves a balance vs. the establishment, of |           | 67 26    |

In justice to the Agent on the Poor Farm, we would state, that he has, during the last year, built 40 rods of good wall on the farm, and built a good and durable corn barn and an addition to the house. The actual payment for those buildings out of the avails of articles sold amounts to not less than \$ 19 00, not including lumber.

There is one bill of N. A. Davis for sawing, the Agent has not been able to obtain and is yet due, amount estimated \$ 8 00.—The amount of lumber on hand is estimated \$ 7 00. There has been paid for the support of paupers and funeral charges, not on the farm, since Feb. 11, 1847, as follows:—widow Olive Peaslee, 29 53; J. M. Coburn's wife, 5 00; Charles Downing, 10; coffin for Rufus Roby, 3 00; for conveying Sarah Wells to the Insane Asylum at Concord, 4 00; for the support of Mrs. Champlin, 3 67. Estimated to be due for support of paupers not on the farm, doctor's bills, 21 00; articles furnished Mrs. Peaslee, 3 99; support of Rufus Roby, 2 00; support of Sarah Wells, 15 00; also an unpaid bill for medical aid for J. Wells last winter, 21 00.

All which is respectfully submitted, by

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| HARRIS BURPEE,      | } | Selectmen<br>of Sutton. |
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| NATH'L W. KNOWLTON. |   |                         |